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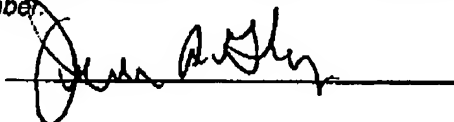
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Application No. : 10/697,735
 Applicant(s) : Baron, et al.
 Filed : October 29, 2004
 Title : Fabric Article Treating Apparatus With Safety Device and Controller
 TC/A.U. : 3749
 Examiner : GRAVINI, STEPHEN MICHAEL
 Conf. No. : 7725
 Docket No. : 9397L
 Customer No. : 27752

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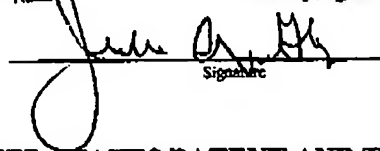
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SERIAL NO.: 10/697,735 : GROUP ART UNIT: 3749
FILED: OCTOBER 29, 2003 : EXAMINER: STEPHEN GRAVINI
FOR: FABRIC ARTICLE TREATING :
APPARATUS WITH SAFETY DEVICE :
AND CONTROLLER :
P&G CASE: 9397 :

PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE
ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 28, 2005

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is responsive to the Office Action for the above-referenced patent application dated September 28, 2005. Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to respond to this action. Authorization is provided to charge any fees due hereunder to Deposit Account No. 16-2480.

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